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MEMORANDUM

TO:

All Users of the Delaware Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices

FROM:

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DATE:

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SUBJECT: Interim Guidance

Pedestrian Hybrid Beacons

The 2009 Federal Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD) added Section 4F, Pedestrian Hybrid Beacons. A pedestrian hybrid beacon is a special type of hybrid beacon used to warn and control traffic at an unsignalized location to assist pedestrians in crossing a street or highway at a marked crosswalk.

Until such time as Section 4F, Pedestrian Hybrid Beacons, is adopted as part of the Delaware MUTCD, use of pedestrian hybrid beacons in Delaware will be governed by the 2009 Federal MUTCD.

On state owned and maintained roadways, pedestrian hybrid beacons shall only be installed at locations approved by the Chief Traffic Engineer. Please contact Mark Luszcz at (302) 659-4091 if you have any questions.

